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AMCONSUL PERTH

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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND AS UG US CPRS (HARRY ENGEL)

SUBJECT: HARRY ENGEL; DISCRIMINATION AGAINST US OIL COMPANIES

REF: PERTH 84, STATE 061462, KAMPALA 1240

1. EMBASSY ECONOFF CALLED ON ACTING PERMSEC OF FONMIN (NTIMBA) APRIL 6 AND RAISED ISSUE OF ITS COMPENSATION AND LACK OF GOU RESPONSE TO EMBASSY' S NOTES ON THIS SUBJECT.
 2. ECON OFF GAVE NTIMBA COPIES OF UNANSWERED NOTES AND ASKED FOR SOME SORT OF GOU RESPONSE. ALSO ASKED NTIMBA FOR SOME IDEA OF WHEN GOU WOULD GET AROUND TO CONSIDERING THIS CASE, WHICH IS A CONTINUING PROBLEM FOR MR. ENGEL AND THE USG.
 3. NTIMBA WAS NOT AWARE BACKGROUND THIS CASE BUT SAID THAT GOU HAS STATED THAT COMPENSATION WOULD BE PAID FOR THE FIRMS TAKEN OVER. HE WAS UNABLE TO GIVE ESTIMATE OF WHEN PROCEDURE WOULD START, SAYING GOU WAS INVOLVED IN OTHER STAGES OF " ECONOMIC WAR" AND HE ASSUMED COMPENSATION QUESTION WOULD BE TAKEN UP IN DUE COURSE.
 4. NTIMBA PROMISED TO LOOK INTO ENGEL CASE AND ADVISE EMBASSY OF ANY PROGRESS MADE. ECONOFF REPLIED EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING INFO IN NOTE FROM FORNAFF.
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5. ABOVE INFO MAY BE PASSED TO ENGEL BY PERTH.

6. NEW SUBJECT: ECONOFF ALSO RAISED WITH NTIMBA MATTER
DISCRIMINATION AGAINST US OIL COMPANIES AND GAVE NTIMBA
COPY OF LETTER FROM ESSO TO PRESIDENT' S OFFICE ASKING
CERTAIN QUESTIONS AND OUTLINING ESSO' S PROBLEMS RESULTING FROM
RAPID TURNOVER OF BUSINESS TO OTHER COMPANIES. ECONOFF
INFORMED NTIMBA THE MATTER WAS OF CONTINUING INTEREST TO USG.
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